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> The following states allow extended counting of absentee ballots for
> the November 2, 2004 general election: Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado,
> District of Columbia, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Maryland,
> Massachusetts, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Texas, Utah, Virgin
> Islands, Washington & West Virginia.
> The following list provides state-by-state deadlines for returning
> voted ballot and/or postmark requirements for the November 2, 2004
> General Election. Electronic transmission by email attachment is
> authorized by county where applicable.
> Alabama:
           The Voted Ballot must be postmarked by 5:00 P.M. on
November
> 1, 2004 and received by the county absentee election manager by noon
> on November 2, 2004.
> Alaska: The Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 2, 2004 and
> sent by mail service equal to first class. Voted Ballots mailed from
> outside the United States, including APO and FPO addresses, must be
> received by November 17, 2004. Voted Ballots mailed stateside must
> received by November 12, 2004. If voting by fax, voted ballots must
> received by 8 p.m. (Alaska time) on or before election day.
> American Samoa: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 1:30 PM on November
> 2, 2004.
> Arizona: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 7:00 P.M on November 2,
> 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> Arkansas: The Voted Ballot must be executed by November 2, 2004 and
> arrive by 5:00 P.M on November 12, 2004.
> California: The Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls (8:00
> P.M) on November 2, 2004.
> Colorado: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 7:00 P.M on November 2,
> 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> Connecticut: The Voted Ballot must arrive before the close of polls
> on November 2, 2004.
> Delaware: Voted Ballots arriving by Noon on November 1, 2004 will be
> counted in their entirety (full ballot). Ballots for Federal offices
> received after Noon on November 1, 2004 but before the close of polls
> on November 2, 2004 will be counted.
> District of Columbia: The Voted Ballot must be postmarked by
midnight
> on November 2, 2004 and arrive by November 12, 2004. Faxing allowed
> only when military service prevents applicant from receiving absentee
> ballot and returning the voted ballot within 45 days. See Guide for
> further instructions.
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> Florida: The Voted Ballot must be received by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004. The Federal office portion of a ballot mailed from
> outside the United States will be counted if it is dated or
postmarked
> by November 2, 2004 and received by November 12, 2004. Overseas
> Uniformed Services members may return the voted ballot to the fax
> number provided by the local Supervisor of Elections.
> Georgia: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 7:00 P.M on November 2,
> 2004.
> Guam: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 8:00 P.M on November 2, 2004.
> Hawaii: The Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax if you
> requested the blank ballot be sent to you by fax. A waiver of secrecy
> and ballot must be received by 6 p.m. (Hawaiian Standard Time) on
> election day.
> Idaho: The Voted Ballot must arrive by 8:00 P.M on November 2, 2004.
> Illinois: The Voted Ballot must arrive in sufficient time for it to
> be delivered to the polling place by 7:00 P.M on November 2, 2004.
> Indiana: Ballot must arrive in sufficient time for it to be
delivered
> to the precinct election board before the close of polls on November
> 2, 2004. It is recommended that the ballot be mailed to be received
> October 29, 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> Iowa: Ballot must be postmarked by November 1, 2004 and arrive by
> November 8, 2004.
> Kansas: Ballots must arrive by close of polls on November 2, 2004.
> You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> Kentucky: Ballots must arrive by the close of polls on November 2,
> 2004.
> Louisiana: Ballots must arrive by November 2, 2004. You may return
> the voted ballot by fax.
> Maine: Ballots must arrive by 8:00 PM on November 2, 2004. In
certain
> emergency situations, such as combat situations, Uniformed Service
> members may fax the voted ballot.
> Maryland: Ballot must be postmarked by November 1, 2004. Ballots
> mailed from outside the United States must be received by 4:00 PM on
> November 12, 2004. Ballots mailed stateside must be received by 4:00
> PM on November 3, 2004.
> Massachusetts: Ballots mailed from within the U.S. must arrive by
> 8:00 PM on November 2, 2004. Ballots mailed from outside the U.S.
> must be post marked by November 2, 2004 and received by November 12,
> 2004, to be counted.
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> Michigan: Voted Ballot must arrive by 8:00 PM on November 2, 2004.
> Minnesota: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
November
> 2, 2004.
> Mississippi: Voted Ballot must arrive by 5:00 P.M. on November 1,
> 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> Missouri: Voted Ballot must arrive before 7:00 P.M. on November 2,
> 2004.
> Montana: Voted Ballot must arrive by 8:00 P.M. on November 2, 2004.
> See the Guide for counties that allow return of voted ballot by fax.
> Nebraska: Voted Ballot must be received by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004.
> Nevada: Voted Ballot must arrive at the local election office by
> P.M. on November 2, 2004.
> New Hampshire: Voted Ballot must arrive by 5:00 P.M. on November 2,
> New Jersey: Voted Ballot must arrive at the county board of
elections
> office by the close of polls on November 2, 2004. If you are
> you may return the voted ballot by fax, not later than 8 p.m. (EST)
on
> election day. You must also submit the original ballot by airmail
> together with certification.
> New Mexico: Voted Ballot must arrive before the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax.
> New York: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 1, 2004 and be
> received by November 9, 2004. For active duty military, in 2004
only.
> the deadline for receipt of ballots is November 15, 2004.
> North Carolina: Voted Ballot must be returned by 5:00 P.M. on
> November 1, 2004. Military and civilians serving with U.S. Armed
> Forces outside the U.S., and Peace Corps members may return the voted
> ballot by fax.
> North Dakota: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 1, 2004.
> Ballots received before the canvassing board meets will be counted
> (canvassing board meets beginning 3 days after the election). You may
> return the voted ballot by fax.
> Ohio: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on November 2,
> 2004. Ballots mailed from outside the United States will be counted
if
> signed and postmarked by the close of polls on November 2, 2004 and
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> received by November 12, 2004.
> Oklahoma: Voted Ballot must arrive by 7:00 P.M. on November 2, 2004.
> Under certain limited circumstances, you may be able to return the
> voted ballot by fax.
> Oregon: Voted Ballot must arrive by 8:00 P.M. on November 2, 2004.
> Pennsylvania: Voted Ballot must arrive by 5:00 P.M. on October 29,
> Puerto Rico: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 2, 2004 and
> be received before 3:00 P.M. on November 2, 2004.
> Rhode Island: Voted Ballot must arrive by 9:00 P.M. on November 2,
> 2004. Military and overseas citizens except for "Other" U.S. citizens
> residing outside the U.S. (FPCA, 8d) may fax the voted ballot.
> South Carolina: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004. You may return the voted ballot by fax only in
> declared emergency situations.
> South Dakota: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004.
> Tennessee: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
November
> 2, 2004.
> Texas: Voted Ballot must be received by the close of polls on
> November 2, 2004. Ballots mailed from outside the United States will
> be counted if placed in delivery by 7:00 P.M. on November 2, 2004 and
> received by November 7, 2004 (no rollover to Monday). Active duty
> military overseas or spouse or dependant of the member in hostile
fire
> pay, imminent danger pay or combat zone area may fax voted ballot.
> Utah: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 1, 2004 and be
> received by the county by Noon on the day of canvassing. Canvassing
> takes place 7
> - 14 days following election. Some counties allow you to return the
voted
> ballot by fax in emergency situations.
> Vermont: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on November
> 2, 2004.
> Virginia: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on November
> 2, 2004.
> Virgin Islands: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 2, 2004
> and be received by November 12, 2004. You may fax the voted ballot.
> Washington State: Voted Ballot must be postmarked by November 2,
> and be received by November 17, 2004. Some counties allow you to
> return the voted ballot by fax.
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> West Virginia: Ballot must be voted, signed, dated and mailed by
> November 2, 2004 and arrive by November 8, 2004.
> Wisconsin: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on
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> 2, 2004.
> Wyoming: Voted Ballot must arrive by the close of polls on November
> 2, 2004.
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